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L. S. G. (1924) Department.

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DATED 13-10-24

[Despatch Abstract.]

Legislative Council Question - Mangalore Hospital Reconstruction papers recorded.

Law Dept. III-8—500—31-3-24.

QUESTION.—No. 555 for the meeting of the Legislative Council to be held on ~~the~~ 18th August 1924.

SUBMITTED that two copies of this Question may be forwarded to the Local Self Government Department.

The Question has been admitted.

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U.O. No. 2335-3 Leg. dated 24-7-24.

To

The L. S. G. Department.

L.S.G. (P.H) Deptt

Memo No. 21125-1 P.H dated 1st Aug. 1924
cNo. 23082, from cric Ql. No. 1757 Ql of 16.8.24

AS

A draft answer is submitted for approval

I have approved the draft answer, but I venture to think that in view of the admitted facts the construction of a new combined hospital at Mangalore must be classed as emergent & not as ordinary - vide in this connection the answer to ~~the~~ a similar Question in the file marked "H."

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19.8.24
MS
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I fear there is little chance of this at present. The answer must be re-typed. It has been very carelessly done. Capital letters must be used for nouns in titles.

Secy: MS 26.8.24. 25/8/24

MS

Secy
Draft re-typed.
MRA 25.8.24.

The typed draft is approved
M. 29.8.24

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AH

A printed copy of the Question and Answer have been added at p. 7 ante. The papers may now be

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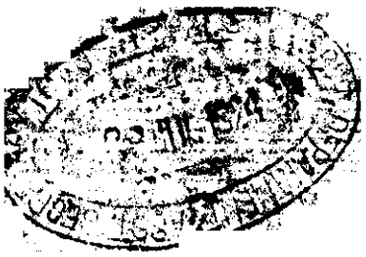
Question.

Rao Sahib P.V. Gopalan.

THE LOCAL SELF GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT



21-7-24

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4) the number of female patients thus transferred to the male hospital for operation during the years 1922-23 and 1923-24;

5) whether the total number of beds in the women and children Hospital for inpatients and the average daily attendance of inpatients for 1926 and 1924; and

6) whether the present Women and children Hospital is situated in a healthy locality?

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A.S.G (P.H) Dept.

L.C. Qn No. 555

Memo No: 21125- PH dated 1.8.24.

A copy of Q No. 555 for the meeting of the Legv. Cl. to be held on the 18th Aug. 1924 is forwarded to the S.S. for very urgent remarks

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To the S.S. with copy of Q No. 555

Note.

Information with regard to cl. ③ to ⑥ are not available here. As regards clauses ① & ②, the attention of the Addl. Member may be drawn to the answer to cl. ① of Q. No. 44 answered at the meeting of the Legv. Cl. held on 14.12.23 p. 5 of Qs No. 73 P.H dt 15.1.24

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LOCAL SELF GOVERNMENT (PUBLIC HEALTH) **DEPARTMENT.**

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Station Madras. , *Dated the* 16th August 1924. 191

From (Name) Major-General T.H.Symons,C.B.E.,I.M.S.,
(Designation) Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras, ~~Madras.~~

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
LOCAL SELF GOVERNMENT (PUBLIC HEALTH) Department.

Sir,

Ref:-Government memorandum No.21125-1-P.H., dated 1-8-24 forwarding a copy of Legislative Council question No.555.

The answers to the question are furnished below: seriatim

(1) Yes; but the proposal has been deferred for consideration till the financial position improves--vide G.O. No.215-P.H.,Mis. dated 8-2-22.

(2) The work will be begun as soon as money can be alloted for it and when its turn comes according to its relative order of urgency in the medical building programme. Negotiations are being carried on with the -

Inspector-General of Police for the abolition of the separate police hospital at Mangalore, and for the treatment of the -- police patients at the head quarter hospital with the idea of adding the police hospital buildings to the Women and Children hospital to which they adjoin as this arrangement will greatly improve the work of the women and children hospital.

The Government will be addressed in the matter as soon as it has reached a final stage.

(3) Most of the female patients who require major operations are transferred ffom the women and children hospital as these cases will be directly under the supervision of the district - medical officer during treatment. Moreover the operation --- theatre attached to the women and children hospital is unsui - table being very small and dingy.

(4) Forty-eight major operations in 1922-23 and 33 in 1923-24 were perfo rmed on female patients; of these, 6 cases in - 1922-23 and 21 in 1923-24 were transferred to the male hospi- tal. All these cases would have been admitted into the women and children hospital, Mangalore, if there had been proper con- venience for the operation and treatment of these cases there.

(5) The sanctioned number of beds for the women and children hospital is 18 and the daily average attendance of inpatients for 1923-and 1924 is 28.15 and 33.27 respectively.

(6) The present women and children hospital is situated in a most insanitary, unhealthy and in a very noisy locality.

I have the honour to be,

S i r,

Your most obedient servant.

T. H. J. Edwards

Major-General I.M.S.
Surgeon-General with the Government - of M a d r a s .

R. S/16-8.

Local Self-Government (P.H.) Department

Question No. 555.

Rao Sahib P.V. Gopalan.

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(2) if so, when the construction is going to be undertaken;	
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(6) whether the present Women and Children Hospital is situated in a healthy locality ?	(6) Government understand the present Women and Children Hospital is not situated in a healthy locality.

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Construction of a new building for the combined hospital at Mangalore.

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555 Q.—Rao Sahib P. V. GOPALAN: Will the hon. the Minister for Local Self-Government be pleased to state—

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(6) The Government understand that the present Women and Children Hospital is not situated in a healthy locality.

Rao Sahib P. V. GOPALAN:—"The hon. the Minister for Local Self-Government has stated that 21 out of 33 female in-patients were transferred to the male hospital. May I ask him whether such things are done in any other districts except in South Kanara?"

The hon. the RAJA OF PANAGAL:—"There are also other cases where difficulty in regard to hospital accommodation is being experienced I do realize that the hospital requires expansion, but unfortunately owing to want of funds we have not been able to take up the matter."

Rao Sahib P. V. GOPALAN:—"Is the hon. the Minister aware that several women who go to the Women and Children Hospital for confinement are asked to lie down on the floor of the Women and Children Hospital for want of accommodation?"

The hon. the RAJA OF PANAGAL:—"Though Government have no information on this particular point, they are alive to the fact that accommodation in the hospital is limited."

Mr. B MAHABALA HEGDE:—"With reference to the answer to clauses (1) and (2), were not the plans and estimates got ready in about 1920?"

The hon. the RAJA OF PANAGAL:—"There was a proposal; it was being considered; but I am not quite sure if the plans and estimates were made ready."

Rao Sahib P. V. GOPALAN:—"Supposing a reasonable amount of subscription is raised from the citizens of Mangalore, will the hon. the Minister be in a position to start the work of constructing the Women and Children Hospital without any further delay?"

The hon. the RAJA OF PANAGAL:—"Sir, the Government would welcome the idea, if a reasonable amount being raised by public subscriptions."

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